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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of    Wolfgang RETSCHKE, et al.    Docket No.    Q80247  
Appln. No.    09/581,377    Group Art Unit    2861  
Confirmation No.    9733    Examiner    PHAM, H.C.  
Filed    March 29, 2001  
For:    SCANNER SYSTEM

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 9, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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Claim 138 is a new independent claim, and includes recitation found in claim 1 (prior to current amendment) and claim 14. The substance of both of claims 1 and 14 is found in, *inter alia*, in corresponding claims of the originally filed application.

Claim 139 is a new independent claim, and includes recitation found in claim 1 (prior to current amendment) and claim 19. The substance of both of claims 1 and 19 is found, *inter alia*, in corresponding claims of the originally filed application.

Conclusion and Request for Interview

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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